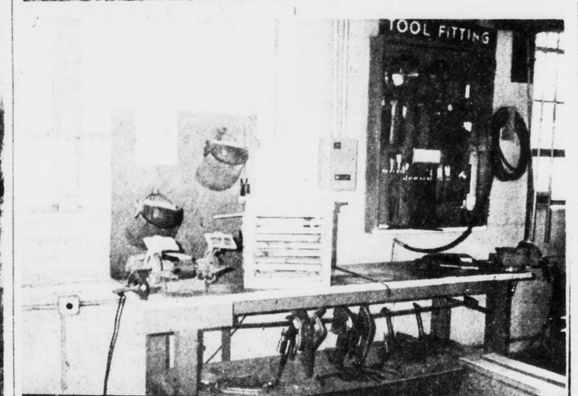

Earth Science At AIS

Ninth grade Earth Science students have really been busy for the past six weeks on a unit on Meterology at Appomattox Intermediate School.

If you have not visited the school recently, you are in for a surprise. Very rarely do you see classes lined up neatly or rooms so quiet you can hear a pin drop. In fact, perhaps you'd better stop in and see what's going on! On the other hand, that might not work either. For example, our classes could not be observed all at once except at the beginning and ending of the class periods. At other times they are all over the place.

During this unit two students, Keith Tweedy and J. T. Jones, working in cooperation with shop teachers, R. Q. Lawing and Barry Sauls, planned, purchased and constructed a thermascreen to house weather instruments as a permanent weather station for AIS. They also enlisted the aid of Building and Trades teacher, Mr. Almond, along with some of his students to construct the base for the screen.

Perhaps more interdisclipinary units can be worked in as time goes by.

At the same time that the previous activities were going on, other students were busy in either group or individual activities. Some were busy in the Viewing center with film strips, film loops overhead projector; some in listening center with tapes or discussion groups; some outside mading the temperature readings, barometric pressure readings, wind direction and velocity reading and relative humidity readings for the day. This was shared with other members of the class who recorded this information on a graph kept in individual folders.

Many students used the Media Center for doing research on unusual storms such as hurricanes and tornadoes. They made use of many different materials such as encyclopedia, newspapers, magazines and science books.

Each student worked on a contract basis electing the grade he wanted to work for. There were approximately thirty activities -- ten required and twenty elective. Points were assigned according to the time and degree of difficulty involved. In this way individual needs and interests were met. Motivation was high as a student made choices and was involved at all times.

Each student was required to prepare a comprehensive test on the work he had done. He prepared an answer sheet and was tested, only on the work he had done. An easy way to help students succeed, an easy way to encourage excellance!

From this, you can see the role of the teacher has changed from that of lectures to a director or coordinator. Planning is vital to this sort of approach, so is flixibility and the ability to delegate responsibility, but at the same time it is necessary to maintain an awareness of what's going on at all times and be available to help or advise students when needed.

"What's next?" a happy interested student asks.

GROUP THREE MEETING

The Group Three Meeting of the W.M.U. of the Appomattox Association will meet at New Hope Baptist Church Tuesday, April 2 at 7:15 p.m. Miss Hazel Moon, the Missionary to Nigeria, will be the speaker.

A special offering will be taken for Miss Moon and her work in Nigeria. All ladies in Group III are invited to attend.

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Congratulations to the young people that took part in the youth service at Central Church Sunday. They did a wonderful job.

R. L. Cordell spent Sunday afternoon with Keith and Tony Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Layne and Missy of Lynchburg spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. David Carson were winner guests Sundav of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nash visited Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Waddell Sunday night.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Mr. Willie Pugh. Mr. Pugh passed away on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Mullins were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Banton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Cull were dinner and supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Nash and David Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Mann spent Saturday in Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Mullins and Paul and Mr. Raymond Mullins and Timothy.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Mullins and Paul and Mr. Raymond Mullins and Timothy visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mullins and family Sunday night.

Mrs. Henry Mann and Mrs. Emery Mullins attended the funeral of Mr. Willie Pugh Monday.

Mrs. Nannie Carter and Mrs. Rachel Cyrus visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann last week.

Notice

A special meeting of the Appomattox Education Association will be held on Thursday, April 9, at 3:45 p.m. in the Intermediate School auditorium.

The meeting is called to discuss the proposed salary scale for 1974-75 school year.

If you are interested in a salary scale to meet the cost of living. Please attend this meeting on Thursday, April 9, 1974.

President

WRECK ISLAND EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS CLUB

Mrs. Marie Carson was hostess to the Wreck Island Extension Homemaker's Club when it met in her home on March 20th at 1:30 p.m. There were six members present and one visitor.

Devotions were led by Mrs. Helen Stratton with readings "Legends of Eastertide" and "Your Spiritual Workshop" in a Journey of Love." Prayer by Mrs. Marie Carson.

Mrs. Dixie Staten, president, conducted the business session announcing the following events to be held.

On April 3, 1974 the Lynchburg Regional Health Forum to be held from 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. in the auditorium of Virginia Baptist Hopital in Lynchburg.

On Wed., April 17, 1974, the annual meeting of District III Homemakers will be held at Nelson County High School, Lovingston, Va. and will begin with a coffee hour at 9:30 a.m.

Mrs. Dixie Staten will present the "Pennies for Friendship" at the meeting.

The demonstration program "Decorating With a Flair" was presented by Mrs. Shirley Walton. She showed colored slides, on "Furniture Arrangement and "How to Work Out Your Own Color Plan."

The Homemaker's Creed was repeated after which the hostess served ice cream and cake. For the April meeting a demonstration on Health will be given by Mrs. Harvie Thomas topic "Counting Your Calories for Healthful Eating."

The meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Ruth Carson on Wed., April 24th, at 1:30 p.m. (notice change of date).

Mrs. Tilden Lee, Secretary

Baby Contest

Services were held at the First Baptist Church Sunday at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Davis preached a wonderful sermon which was enjoyed by all.

The afternoon service was sponsored by Rev. Davis for the benefit of the building fund. He was happy and wishes to thank his friends and everyone who helped in his program.

There will be a Million Dollar Wedding, March 31, 1974 at 3:00 p.m. and the climax "Would You Know." A Baby Contest. Mrs. T. W. Hamlet is the sponsor.

On April 7, 1974 at 7:30 p.m. the "Seven Last Words" will be presented. The sponsor is Mrs. T. W. Hamlet. The public is cordially invited.

We were happy to have all our visitors to worship with us Sunday.

On April 7, 1974 at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Davis will render services at C. St. Baptist Church, Lynchburg, Virginia. Members and friends are invited.

Rev. Davis was the dinner guest of Deacon and Mrs. T. W. Hamlet Sunday.

7th GRADE 4-H Meeting

On March 21, 1974 a 7th grade 4-H Club met at Bill Vaughan's house. Mr. Sweet talked about our 4-H Club painting the 4-H Club.Then he showed some slides on last year's club camp. He talked about Share-the-Fun and some other things we should do.

Bill Vaughan, Reporter

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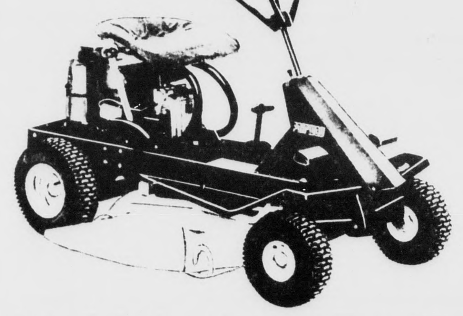
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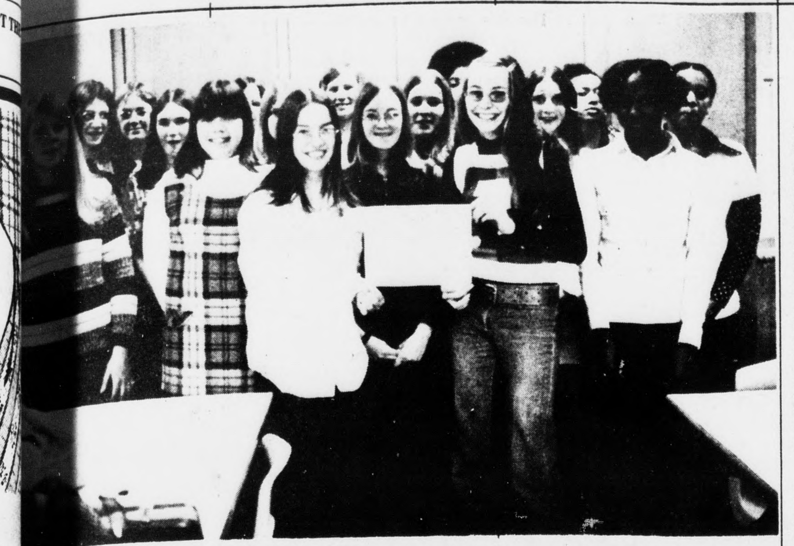

FHA Degree Committee Receives Honors

[At] the annual mother-daughter banquet [spons]ored by the Junior Chapter Future [Home]makers of America held on Thursday [night] at the Appomattox Intermediate [School] the Degree Committee was named [Out]standing Committee of the Year.

[Me]mbers of the Degree Committee shown [in the picture] are Cindy Morris, Janet Fitzgerald, [Di]anie Gilliam, Verna Thornton, Debbie Doss, LaTrelle Ewers, Marcia McCoy, Veronica Franklin, Berneta Moore, Penny Cabiness, Co-Chairman; Gaye Bedrryman, Evelyn Franklin, Denise Netherland, Chairman; Carolyn Grishaw, Bridget Watts, Emily Mosley, Laura Shorter and Teresa Almond. Not shown in the picture were Linda George, Melinda McIntosh, Edna Goin and Gale Griffin.

Legion Post Observes 55th Birthday

[Am]erican Legion Post 104 observed the American Legion's [55th] Birthday with a dinner meeting on Monday night at the [Pos]t Home.

[V]irginia Department Commander of the American, Emmett [...]ey, was guest speaker.

[D]inner was served by the Ladies Auxiliary of Post 104.

[T]he highlight of the evening was the note burning retiring [the debt] on the Post Home.

[In] the photo shown above, left to right, are J. Peyton [...]ey, C. E. Harvey, Byron Cole, Randolph Wood, George [...]ldridge, Trustee of Post 104 and Life Member; Ronald C. [...], C. T. Moses, Jr., Webb Babcock and J. M. Cobb, Jr.

Music Program

The general public is cordially invited to attend the musical program given at the Intermediate School this Sunday evening at 7:30. The program is being sponsored by the Local Appomattox Assembly. The following singing groups will appear on the program: The Holiness Gospel Singers, The Gospel No Names, The Golden Trumpteers, The Gospel Four, and several other groups have been asked to take a part.

Spring Concert Set At Hampden-Sydney

The Hampden - Sydney College Glee Club will present its annual spring concert in College Church, Hampden-Sydney, Va., on Tues., April 9, at 8 p.m. The singers will have as their guests the Randolph - Macon Woman's College Glee Club. The two choirs will jointly present Faure *Requiem* and selected choruses from the Easter portion of Handel's *Messiah*.

Dr. T. Edward Crawley of Hampden - Sydney College will conduct, and Dr. Roger Cole of Randolph Macon will accompany. Reba McVey of Richmond will be the soprano soloist, and John Oldman, a H-SC student, will be the baritone soloist.

The two glee clubs have traveled extensively throughout the eastern United States, as both individual and combined groups.

College Church and Hampden - Sydney College invites all churches in the area to join in this worship experience as part of the celebration for Holy Week.

East and West Bound S.S. Union Convenes

The semi-annual session of the East and West Bound Sunday School Union will convene with the Morning Star Baptist Church School this Sunday morning at 10 a.m. The first session will include the Sunday School lesson under the direction of the union. The morning session will begin promptly at 11:15 with a short business session and the sermon will be delivered by the pastor of the church, the Rev. R. A. Wood. Music will be furnished by his church choir. The general public is cordially invited to attend.

Plans have been completed for the annual Ladies Day program to be held at the Promise Land Baptist Church this coming first Sunday in April at 3 p.m. The Rev. James Franklin will deliver the annual sermon and music will be furnished by the Echoes of Joy of Lynchburg, Va. Local ladies club have been invited to attend.

Impressive services were held at the Promise Land Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The pastor delivered a very informative sermon, and beautiful music was rendered by the church choir. A large crowd witnessed the service. The offering for the day was very good.

An overflow crowd attend the funeral services for the late Mrs. Mable McCoy last Saturday evening at 2 p.m. at the Mount Airy Baptist Church. The pastor of the church delivered the eulogy. The following ministers assisted in the service. Rev. R. Q. Lawing, C. L. Elliott, J. W. Paige, W. R. Jones, and James Miller. Music was rendered by the senior choir.

An appreciative crowd attend the regular evening service at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church last Sunday evening at 7 p.m. The entire service was rendered by the Appomattox Gospel Four. Mr. Ben Gillispie took an active part. The offering which was very good was lifted by deacons George Harvey and Bernet Turner, Jr. The pastor of the church presented the local group. The Rev. A. B. Jones was present and gave some helpful remarks.

A very large crowd attended the funeral services for the late Mrs. Fannie Mae Patterson at the Pilot Mt. Baptist Church last Sunday evening at 2 p.m. The Rev. J. W. Paige delivered the eulogy. He was assisted in the service by the Rev. W. R. Jones, P. Wheaton, A. B. Jones, P. Wheaton, A. B. Jones, C. L. Elliott and R. Q. Lawing. Beautiful music was rendered by the senior choir.

Churches are reminded of the Red Cross Drive. Please see that your church will be among the supporters of this worthy cause. Leaders in each church are requested to contact as many members as possible and ask for a donation.

The Pre Easter Service that was conducted among several local churches for the past two years will be conducted only Thursday, April 4 at the Mount Airy Baptist Church and the Sunrise Service will be held at the Promise Land Baptist Church. All local churches are asked to cooperate in each of these services. The Rev. C. L. Elliott will bring the Thursday evening sermon and the Rev. James Miller will bring the sunrise message. The local church choirs will lead in the music. Choir members are invited to help in the group singing.

Beckham

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Burge accompanied by Mrs. E.C. Jennings visited Mrs. Mary Burge and Mrs. Sadie Marino of Madison Heights and Mrs. Beulah Goodbar of Monroe Sunday afternoon.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Martin Sunday were, Mrs. Wayne Moore, Terry and Kelly, Mr. Everette Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moore Jr. Kim Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Moore, Jeff, Todd and Joey, Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Martin, Michelle Tweedy, Mr. M.G. Martin, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Burge Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Martin and boys, Mrs. Geraldine Moore, Gwen Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Carter, Crystal and Karen and Mr. and Mrs. Fleming Drinkard.

Michael Henderson spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Henderson visited in the afternoon Sunday.

Dennis and Mark Franklin spent the weekend with Randy and Tony Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drumheller and family returned to Troy Michigan Friday after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Winston Martin.

Mr. Ronnie Morris will be returning to V.P.I. on Wednesday after spending some time at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Moore Jr. of Richmond visited Mr. and Mrs. Hawlett Drinkard, Donald Lee and Miss Eunice Martin Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Moore Jr. were Sunday dinner guest of Mrs. Claude Jennings of Spout Spring.

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Mon., April 1 - Ham biscuits, peanut butter crackers, string beans, fruit, milk.

Tues., April 2 - Bologna Sandwich, whipped potatoes & gravy, cole slaw, jello w/topping, milk.

Wed., April 3 - Sausage Pattie, Hot Roll, apple sauce, green peas, banana pudding, milk.

Thurs., April 4 - Hamburger on bun, potato chips, steamed cabbage, milk.

Fri., April 5 - Vegetable soup w/beef, crackers, toasted cheese sandwich, potato chips, ice cream, milk.

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Celebrates 89th Birthday

R. B. Hudgins, affectionately known to his many friends as "Rube", celebrated his 89th birthday on Saturday, March 23rd. He received lots of gifts, visits, calls, and cards from family and friends and a nice message from a former "boss."

Mr. Hudgins came to Appomattox in 1926, 48 years ago, as Extension Agent for Appomattox County, a position he held until his retirement in 1955. He is the oldest living Extension Agent in the State of Virginia.

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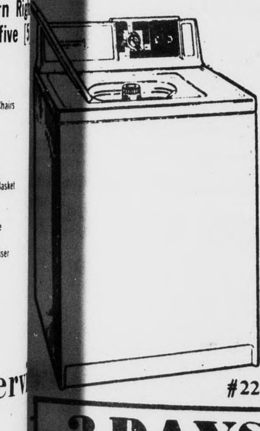
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